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## SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above identified application as follows:

In the Claims

Please cancel claims 2-15 without prejudice.

Please and the following new claims.

--44. An array processor comprising:

a plurality of processing elements arranged in clusters, each cluster including processing elements which communicate in mutually exclusive torus directions with the processing elements of at least one other cluster; and